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Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97-1.98, Applicants hereby call the following documents to the Examiner's attention:

JP 2002-286934 to KYOCERA CORPORATION, published October 3, 2002, together with an English language translation;

U.S. Patent No. 5,790,190 to MOGAMIYA, issued August 4, 1998; and

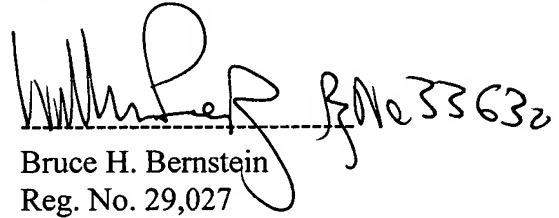
U.S. Patent No. 5,570,231 to MOGAMIYA, issued October 29, 1996.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider and cite these documents. Copies of the above-noted documents, as well as an English language translation of the Japanese language document, are enclosed and have been listed on a PTO-1449 Form which is attached hereto. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached PTO-1449 Form and to return a copy of the form to the Applicant with the next official communication in the present application to confirm consideration of these documents.

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Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed number.

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